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Join the Gaithersburg Chorus ***Virtual Fall Session Begins August 11***

Gaithersburg, MD – (August 3, 2020) The [Gaithersburg Chorus](#) is seeking new members to sing soprano, alto, tenor or bass/baritone in the non-audition ensemble class, open to those 16 years and older. No previous experience is required. The fall session will be held exclusively online and will culminate in up to four virtual concerts. Online classes begin Tuesday, August 11, 2020.

Director Daniel Hopkins and Accompanist Refiye Tappan provide weekly instruction on music theory, musicality and the mechanics of singing, including vocalization, voice control, proper breathing technique, and voice projection. The Chorus performs a variety of music, from classical to pop to Broadway and everything in between.

Rehearsals will be held online on Tuesday evenings from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. Students looking for volunteer opportunities can earn SSL hours for participating in the Chorus. They must attend each weekly rehearsal.

The registration fee is \$50. Participants must have internet access. Register [online here](#).

Contact Program Coordinator Marc Wright at Marc.Wright@gaitthersburgmd.gov for more information. Learn more at www.gaitthersburgmd.gov.

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